Special Package for Mumbai

3388. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN:Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to give "Special Economic Package" to Mumbai;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) This Ministry provides funds under existing scheme of Infrastructure Development for Mega Cities which include Mumbai. This Ministry, however, has no funds to provide Special Economic Package to any city including Mumbai.

Urban Development in Bihar

3389. SHRI MOTIUR RAHMAN:WillI the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the schemes being implemented for urban development in Bihar;

(b) the allocations made for each scheme;

(c) the details of the cities and towns included in the scheme; and

(d) the targets set in respect of each scheme?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) The following Centrally Sponsored Scheme for urban development are being implemented in Bihar:—

(i) Integrated Development of Small and Medium Towns (IDSMT);

(ii) Accelerated Urban Water Supply Programme (AUWSP).

(b) Under IDSMT and AUWSP, Central assistance amounting to Rs. 17.88 crore and Rs. 13.32 crore respectively has been released to Government of Bihar till 31.3.2005.